



**AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT**

Please amend the abstract as follows:

~~To provide an orthopedic apparatus with which a surgeon can perform a trimming operation safely without damaging blood vessels and nerves in the vicinity of an angle of jaw and without the need to make a large incision and a surgeon can perform a trimming operation by one hand with a smaller number of persons required for the operation.~~

The An orthopedic apparatus ~~has~~ having: a shank (11); a fan-shaped member (12) which is provided at the front end of the shank (11); and a coupling (13) ~~which is provided at the rear end of the shank and to be connected~~ connectable to a driving source is disclosed. The fan-shaped member (12) is inclined with respect to an extension (L) of the shank (~~inclination angle~~  $\theta$ ); file ridges (14) are formed on a surface of the fan-shaped member (12)'s ~~surface~~ (reverse side) which is oriented toward the rear end of the shank; and the shank (11) is constructed so as to ~~rotate into~~ oscillate between a clockwise direction and a counterclockwise direction continuously.